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In re Application of :
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Serial No. 09/941,566 : Group Art Unit: 1775
Filed: August 30, 2001 : Examiner:
For: ELASTICALLY STRETCHABLE COMPOSITE SHEET AND PROCESS FOR
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Sir:

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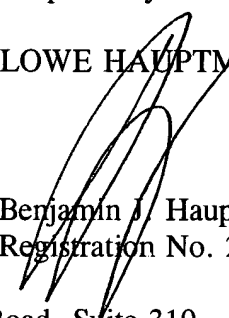
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Each English language reference was cited in a corresponding foreign application search report or office action and its relevance discussed therein. A copy of the foreign search report or office action is attached for the Examiner's information.

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